# Automotive GPS Applications: Enhancing Safety, Security and Peace of Mind

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  - Navigation
  - Telematics
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# **Telematics Background - Technology**

# Combines and integrates directly into the vehicle's electrical architecture

- Cellular technology
- GPS positioning capability
- Sophisticated voice recognition technology



## **Telematics Background - Services**

#### Call center-based services

- Safety, security and peace of mind
- Routing and point of interest

Optional one button hands-free cellular calling



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#### OnStar - 4.0 million

- General Motors
  - 50 of 54 models
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- First year included in the price of the vehicle
- Spanish and French also available
- Selected TTY services launched in 2005









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#### ATX - 700,000

- Mercedes Teleaid
- BMW Assist





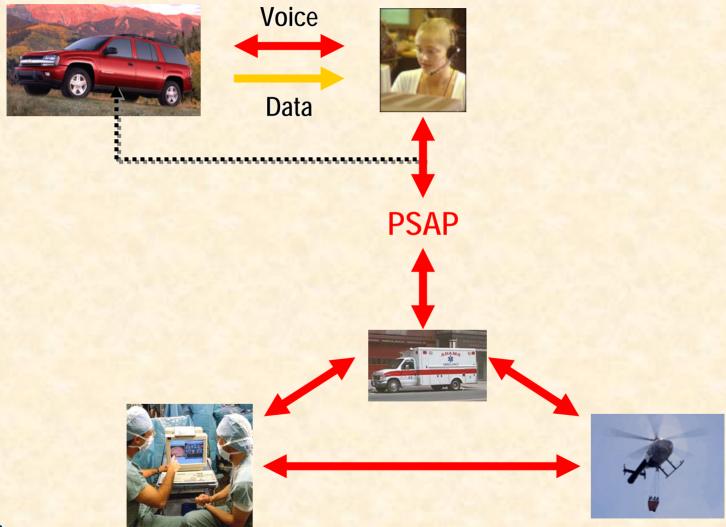
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# **Crash Notification Today**







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#### **GPS-Based Services-Premium**

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- Emergency services
- Roadside assistance
- Stolen vehicle location
- Remote door unlocks
- Routing and point of interest
- Weather
- Real time traffic





## Making a Distinctive Difference

#### Monthly, telematics forward to PSAPs approximately:

- 2,000 automatic airbag/crash notifications; and
- 15,000 emergency calls.

#### As well as

- 27,000 requests for roadside assistance;
- 46,000 door unlocks;
- 600 stolen vehicle location requests;
- Over 350,000 requests for routing;

And among non-GPS based services

30,000 remote diagnostics.





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# Vehicle to Vehicle(V2V) Safety Use Cases

- V2V Localized Broadcast Warnings
  - Crash notification to other vehicles
  - Electronic emergency brake
  - Slow/disabled vehicle ahead
  - Road condition notification
- Map assisted
  - Curve speed warning
- Cooperative Applications
  - Blind spot detection (Passive)
  - Collision avoidance and mitigation (Active)





#### **Challenges and Promises**

- Current Challenges
  - Availability and performance degradation in urban canyons and other challenging environments
- Future Promises
  - Improved reliability, accuracy, availability
  - Lane level V2V safety applications
- Critical Transition Imperatives
  - Maintaining existing performance for the installed legacy fleet
  - Achieving cost levels required for price sensitive consumer applications

